

# Fiscal Note 2009 Biennium

Bill # Primary Sponsor:				_	Title: Regulate constituent accounts  Status: As Introduced			
☐ Significant L	ocal Gov Impact he Executive Budget	☑ □	Needs to be include Significant Long-Te	ed in	HB 2			Technical Concerns  Dedicated Revenue Form Attached

### FISCAL SUMMARY

T	FY 2008 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2009 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2010 <u>Difference</u>	FY 2011 <u>Difference</u>
<b>Expenditures:</b>				
General Fund	\$5,300	\$21,000	\$21,525	\$22,063
Revenue:				
General Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Net Impact-General Fund Balance	(\$5,300)	(\$21,000)	(\$21,525)	(\$22,063)

## **Description of Fiscal Impact:**

The anticipated costs of the bill are for rulemaking and the associated legal costs for guidance and informal opinions. Other anticipated legal costs are for the investigation and resolution of formal complaints filed with the Commissioner of Political Practice office.

### FISCAL ANALYSIS

### **Assumptions:**

- 1. The Commissioner of Political Practice will continue to secure contracted legal services on a time and materials basis. In FY 2008 rulemaking review is estimated at \$1,700 and legal services are estimated at 40 hours at \$90 per hour = \$3,600.
- 2. In FY 2009, an estimate of 4 formal complaints will be investigated and resolved. Legal services for each complaint average \$3,000 = \$12,000. Informal inquiries of legal services are estimated at 100 hours at \$90 per hour = \$9,000.
- 3. In FY 2010 and FY 2011, a 2.5% inflation factor is assumed to determine costs for the 2011 biennium.
- 4. Informal opinions and the resolution of formal complaints will be required to define and clarify program requirements.

	FY 2008 Difference	FY 2009 Difference	FY 2010 Difference	FY 2011 <u>Difference</u>	
Fiscal Impact:					
Expenditures: Operating Expenses	\$5,300	\$21,000	\$21,525	\$22,063	
Funding of Expenditures: General Fund (01)	\$5,300	\$21,000	\$21,525	\$22,063	
Revenues: General Fund (01)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Net Impact to Fund Balance (Revenue minus Funding of Expenditures):					
General Fund (01)	(\$5,300)	(\$21,000)	(\$21,525)	(\$22,063)	

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Sponsor's Initials	Date	Budget Director's Initials	Date